

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 Selecting from currently available television programs or other
commercial broadcasts is enabled by clustering the broadcasts on the basis
of program categories and by simultaneously displaying video information
from all of the broadcasts. The channels through which the commercial
broadcasts are received are monitored in order to detect any changes in
program categorization. Thus, the clustering of the broadcasts is dynamic
with respect to the number of broadcasts in the different clusters. Each
10 broadcast is displayed as a reduced-scale presentation that is based upon
the video information specific to the broadcasts. In one embodiment, at least
one of the clusters can be split into sub-clusters, such as splitting a movie
cluster or a sports cluster on the basis of genres. Optionally, the different
reduced-scale presentations are continuously updated, other than during
15 commercial times.

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